

The Perfins of France's Société Générale

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The Société Générale comprises one of the larger banks of France. It was founded on 5/4/1864. It has many branches in France and it also had branches in Alsace-Lorraine, and since this part of France became a part of Germany in 1871, one will find the S.G. Perfin on German stamps. One branch was in Metz.

The Société Générale had a few branches outside France, including Great Britain (London), Belgium (Brussels), and Tunisia (Tunis). Following are Perfins used by this banking company in various branches:

